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During the summer and fall of 1952 the former German military barracks located in the woods about one kilometer east of Miedzylesie (5009N/1640E) on the righthand side of the road from Miedzylesie to Skompe was occupied by a Polish infantry unit. The barracks were called the 'Koszarzy Ciburg', (Ciburg barracks).

The compound was enclosed by a barbed wire fence about one and a half meters high, partly fastened to trees and partly to fence posts. Only two entrance gates (the one nearer to Skompe is seldom used), two wide asphalt roads and several wooden huts were visible from the highway. From the lake at the rear about fifteen large three story roughcasted brick buildings could be seen. The buildings had tile roofs and still bore traces of wartime grey-green camouflage paint.

construction of two new buildings for family quarters for officers. [redacted] there were approximately eighty buildings, including stores, garages, etc. within the compound.

A parade ground was located between the barracks area and Miedzylesie and was surrounded by a low barbed wire fence.

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